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GERMAN ANSWER KNOWN TOMORROW; FLOOD AND STORM DESTROY

REPLY TO BE CARGO QUIZ?

Said Berlin Will Ask Whethor Lumitania Carried War Munitions.

TO ANSWER TOMORROW

Hague Dispatch Reports German Communication Will be Temporizing.

London, May 28.-The Evening News publishes a dispoich from Two House giving reports from more that termony's reply in the investors into adli he presented

"ill will be of a temperising converter," the disputely continues, tund out not the Endled States. without in utilization dear, that the Lucinois carried assessablism devtitled for the althout

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Suptidia Sees Torpedo.

recramic, New 25 -- While mene at fective to skew tills wake at a totpedic. the targe enough to admit an he forced into further refrest.

care interest between the street and actives confirmation.

DIPLOMAS FOR 18 read was 12 feet betwee down for the total him formal, owing to the water

The dampe to the results upper introduce in an autore it is existent the less pertile, almos derricks were fort up and fong arrows the deck. resulting the roll on one alde. Strong sivel gistery forming a part of this hatch were blown out and some went crerbourd. In the deck flowing war of which were out through cleanly.

The bunks occupied by the heatevalu and two quarterplasters, all of gram and class roll follows: When were inferred, are a mass of From were broken late fragments. The heatewain suffered injuries on the Oration, "National Defense" loud, arms and legs. Both quarter-

meters were badly braised. Intime of the American embassy bracked the ship from a tender full Oration, "Time and Its Changes" littley afternion, meeting the steamer off the lar and couring with her to young ...

The donks. Fishing Bosts Attacked.

May 26 .- Captains of Crookbayes to homers and fishing beats, who were It the vicinity of the American steams Nebraskan when she was damhind by an explosion Tuesday eve- cation. Title alaims to have witnessed the torprinting of their email fishing heats he twice sighted a submarine.

THE WAR TODAY

ong the Carinthian front by the inrading Italian forces is reported in an sufficial dispatch from Genera. It said also that the Italians have aken postustion of three mountain sensy and are conducted their ad-

Italian troops are pushing steadily ity Amiria, along the line running sorth of the Gulf of Trivet. Apparonly the Austriana have as yet offered Legality of Dunne's Watero serious resistance, although further west there has been severe fighting. An official statement from Home ancounces the occupation of the Austrian town of Gradwaied states that a opinion anacted the Triest Nationsina railroad eritory along the Tyrol frontier has

The occupation of Urundally north western Persia, by Russian forces, is Holds It Unconstitutional minuted by the Cancarian army The city was taken after battler cur Dilman and Buchkala.

In their meriners campaign the Bussians are still being closely pushed by the Austrian and German armies. Official reports from Vienna state that successes have been wen in the distried of Praemyel, the capture of which would be a serious blow to the Russians. The Perrugged war office, however, views the situation in Galicia princistically, saying the Teutonic alles have been checked and that their attacks along the front from the Upper Viangle to the Han have been repaired

GERMANS NEARER PRZEMYSL GATES

I premier important resits Hellevel City Will Sant be Isolated From Rest of Russian Army-New Flank Nevement.

Practical, garrisoned this time by Run- to \$10 a year the license on heavy class next 48 hours and that Turkey will come had been received state toutend of Austrians, in once tric trucks. The vote on the bill was make her declaration on Italy later. on Lordon of the precedingship had been threshold with investment. Just 92 to 9. a venture which distinged the as the Baselens, after surrounding Promised and starwing out its Aused the Wilson bill, which annuls marported to the military authorities at drowned there. Tracy, near Platte
frame garrison, forced the surrender of rings performed in other outers of Frankfort in the fast lew days, maktrace performed in this ing the specific request that they be moved to high places. the fortress on the find of last March, persons who have been divorced in this ing the specific request that they be moved to high places. so Austro-German troops, who have state less than one year. Courts have permitted to serve against Italy. driven a wedge through central Ga- held that such marriages are invalid. the same of the american structure threating recovered, and with growing marriage laws. Other tells passed by deploring the anti-Italian demonstra- Talihina, Okla., May 26, caused, the traction, stication Tuesday night by integrity of actual are scaling to en- the house were:

on there is a hele about twenty feet of the Russian army, or the Russian ner of commitment. You, upon 52, crty has been damaged. course in the forecastic below the Not- proops which fell back to the San Will nava &

We were he the house about an enemaly of great strategic importance the next two years for the use of the on to out. "The chip assent to at present, and even the firthsh press five normal schools. Vote, ayes 24, services by the head and we de-concedes that the position of Promyel mays a and by stay those by mail bein which is serious. It is described as the key Representative Thou gave notice - consumed by wireless, arrived to the whole fluwton position in Ga- that on next Tuesday he will aftempt The same of us new a submarine, the lock, and its fall will mean that the to call from committee his bill regulat. Venice, Ancona and Brindlei Included and engineer believes he saw the railroad running outward to Lemberg, ing private banks. The bill has been and a beyond on the starboard the main arrest of the Russian sup- in committee many weeks and has not The office of the street of the piles in this region, will fall into Aust been acted upon species striking the skip was in step trian hunds. Reports that this raffroad. The Brown bill, (H. R. D. regulating her made at there was a perception already has been served are the practice of eptemetry, was made a

AT ALEDO SCHOOL

shock the sing suffered muct have Thirty-eighth Annual Commencement Exercises are Held in Opera House Last Night.

> (Special to The Argus.) Aledo, Ill., May 28 .- The thirty-

how they escaped more serious hurts. Song Double quartet are executors and become trustees of have been established on the famous their homes. A report from Fort mother to her uncle caused a sensa-All the furniture and woodwork in the Salutatory and Oration . "Labor the estate. It is said the estate is Asinelli and Garisenda towers. From Dodge that the Des Moines river was tion in Italy when it took place. Struggles" Frances Almquist worth approximately \$5,000,000.

Instrumental solo Edna Merritt The American consul and represent Oration, "Our Merchant Marine Problem" Jean Thompson Ovation, "The World Wide Conflict"

> Responsibility as a Result of the Wilson, president of the board of edu- ment.

Benediction. hen they heard a lead report fother- lone Taylor, Ethel Irene Johnston, worthy the traditions of the nation. of quiraly by a assembl. after which Evanza Stevenson, Constance Bridgethe steamer began blowing her whierle ford, Fannis Lee, Virgit C. Rosenis suppose help. The decorpor say bours, Margaret A. Dorothy, Jean M.

COURT FIGHT PROMISED CHANNELACT

way Bill, Just Passed. to Be Attacked.

promobile cutting the line. Additional HUBBARD THE LEADER

Because Referendum Is Not Provided for.

ground that the measure is unconsti- idro and Garls. turional because it does not provide for its submission to a referendum and other accupied parts presented vote, court action will be brought to themselves to our authorities, expressinvalidate Governor Dunne's water- ing sentiment of patriotism and the stbly as disastrons as that of 1903. way measure, which was passed by the devotion of the population. Our Alstate senate yesterday and which will pine troops continue successful comsecome effective on July 1.

made today by Representative William cull front we occupied Grado, where A. Hubbard of Green county, who the population welcomed us enthusisty and others.

amending the automobile inw to pro- turned safety. vide for automobiles of less than 25. Geneva, May 28, (via Paris.) - A dis-Leaden, May 24. The fortress of culmes. The bill also increases from \$5 mally declare war on Italy within the of Pattonsburg is inundated. The

Wilson Marriage Bill Adopted.

H. B. 549 (Appropriations Commit-The situation is Gallicia is unquestion, appropriating \$1.504.125.12 for ORDER GLIMS OUT

apecial order for neal Tuesday on final and Paris ; - In compliance with or- and the Texas Panhandle and yester-

:30 p. m., Monday.

ALDRICH WIDOW NOT INFORMED OF DEATH and Udine.

W. Aldrich had been probated at War- and automobiles are forbidden to use rising. wick, R. I., it became known today electric or gas lamps. The use of At Springfield, Mo., however, the here that she less not been told of her dark. husband's scath. Mrs. Aldrich col- The people are taking all this gaily, Aledo high school was held last aight several weeks upo and her condition through the darkened streets, shout- river and in Des Moines were threatin the Aledo opera house. The pro- has not perceptibly improved. Under ing, joking and singing. Lucy T. Aldrich of Warwick Neck, location there of a very important fac- Des Moines, the flood stage had been the Duke of Acata and the Count of Averlage and the men are wondering Invocation Rev. Josiah B. Bartle and Richard S. Abirich of Providence tory of explosives. Signalling posts passed, and residents were leaving Turin. The marriage of the prince's

Harauel Taylor PINHO AS TEMPORARY CHIEF OF PORTUGAL

Lisbon, (via Paris) May 28,-Dr. Ployd Carroll Abel Pinho, president of the high court Double quartet of justice, probably will act as precident of Portugal until the expiration

terday at the session of the deputies had been disabled.

Danish Ship Strikes Mine. Copenhagen, Denmark, May 28 .-fixeden, with a cargo of coal,

MORE TERRITORY FOR ITALY ARMY

the Tyrol Frontier-Artillery Battle Raging.

Rome, May 27, (via Paris, May 28.)-A successful raid on the Triest-Nubresina railroad by a squadron of Italan hydro-zeroplanes, together with the occupation of additional Austrian territory along the Tyrol frontier and on the Frieuli front, are reported in an official statement issued tonight by the Italian war office. It is stated that an artillery battle is raging between KANSAS CITY IN ZONE the Italian fortified positions on the Trentino front and those of the Aus-

"On the Tyrol-Treating front an artillery combat continues between our Furniture Vans Work Thru as a result of continued fighting. fortified positions and these of the enomy at Tonale and on the Asiago plateau. To the north we have extended the territory occupied up to the mouth of the Chiese river in Lake Idro and have occupied the rugged, moun-Springfield. 111., May 25.-On the lalnow sone extending between Lakes

bars on the Carniola front, where we Announcement to this effect was are capturing prisoners. On the Friought the passage of the bill in the astically. During the night of the onse. Mr. Hubbard stated that Con- 26th-27th a squadron of hydroxeroesman Henry T. Rainey of Carroll- planes, raided the enemy's territory, es will initiate the court action and throwing bombs on the Triest-Nabrehe will be joined by Representa- sina rathroad, causing damage and, it we John D. Turnbungh of Carroll is believed, interrupting the line. In floors of many homes. All night furspile of the violent rifle and artiflery niture vans went through threatened The house also passed the Tice bill, fire of the enemy the squadron re- districts, removing furniture and per-

borsepower, meaning cycle cars. No patch has been received at Basel from indicate serious situations. The Grand Because is now provided for such ma. Berlin, saving that Germany will for- river is out of its banks and a section Berlin, (vin London), May 28 .- Hundreds of volunteers including men Platte City is more than a mile wide By a vote of 77 to 44 the house pass- more than fifty years old, have re- and it is reported that one person was

Deta, are new attempting a double but there is no such provision in the don) .- Austrian newspapers are today and some loss of life. A tornado at tions, which have resulted among oth- death of one man and a child is excircle Fraemysl from the moth and H. B. 772 (Igne), making it unlawful or things in the destruction of the pected to die. W. W. Wood was killed According to Victors reports pre- school house. Note, ayes 100, mays 0. Slavic population of Triest, these John Kirkland was drowned in a Reithsburg, Ill., committed suicide in pany express the opinion that the tion of against their former silles and in spite liam Coss and Mrs. John Kinfon were reply to quantities acid will eliter be included from the rest feeble minded persons. Provides man- of efforts to control them, much prop-

IN ITALIAN PORTS

- Unies, Theatres and Picture Shows are Closed.

fere just issued all ports on the Ad- day in northern Oklahoma has moved At noon the house adjourned until ristic are now in darkness at night, north and east until it now hovers over This regulation includes Venice, An- northwest Missouri. cona and Brindist, and it is being made | Muskolah, Kansas, reported yesterto apply aiso to certain inland cities day entirely surrounded by the flood like Milan, Bologna, Verona, Brescia waters of the Delaware and Little

New York, May 28 - With the an- houses are closed; street cars run tants had all been removed to safety. nouncement that the will of Nelson with only one light inside; carriages The Missouri river at Atchison is still rich, in so seriously til at her home den. Bailroad stations are entirely ing, despite a steady rain.

these points of observation there is overflowing its banks caused people telephone communication with the air here to prepare for a possible repeticraft detachments. Similar measures tion of the flood situation of 1963 when have been taken at Milan.

INJURE SUBMARINES

Procedures. Iroland. (via London) Oration and valedictory, "America's has resigned his office. Congress has with his plans for an exhaustive in- way service is maintained with diffiadopted an electoral bill fixing June quiry into the disabling of submarines culty. War". Fannic Lee 13 as the date for a general election. A which had been assigned to take part Presentation of diplomas, John M. president will be elected by parlia- in the recent war game with the At-Inntic fleet. Unofficial reports said A ministerial declaration read yes- that half of the 12 underwater craft former officials of the Independent Forecast Till 7 P. M. Tomorrow, for the North Carolina, Captain Oman re-

Class Refi - Mary Emerson, Rudelph stated that perfect calm prevailed The purpose of the inquiry will be to dicted a month ago charged with The they were shouting ners. Soon Berg, Samuel Taylor, Pley Caroline throughout the country. It closed ascertain the cause of, and, if possible, fraudulent use of the mails in seiling afterward, they say, they say a steam. Carrell, Mary Alice Church, Harry with an appeal to all Portuguese to a remedy for, the too frequent break- stock of the company, pleaded not or figing the American flag guing west. C. Peterson, Currell D. Kennedy, Edith give their country a government downs of the submarines. No effort guilty today. would be spared, it was announced, to remedy the weaknesses in the navy's underwater craft.

for parted heats seen appeared and Thompson, Mary Alice Denen, Carl The Dunish steamer Ely struck a mine | Georgetown, Ill.—Mrs. Rosana again held the attention today of delethen they less sight of the steamer. McWharter, Frances Almquist, Class off Stockholm yesterday and sank. Biggs, one of the pioneers of Vermii- gates to the Pan-American financial Captain McCoy, of a schooner which motto- Forward. Class flower-Yel- Her crew was saved. The Ely was Hon county, is dead at her home at conference. The general session was arrived here last night, remorts that how rose. Class colors Purple and hound from England for Sundavall, Georgetown, south of here. She was featured by the presentation of re-55 years old,

RIVERSRUNIN HOMES; PERIL **FLOOD GREAT**

Three Western States Fear Repetition of Serious Damage of 1903.

Night Removing Effects of House Owners.

Kansas City, Mo., May 28.-With rain continuing to pour over Kansas. Oklahoma and western Missouri, and all atreams in the section rising rapidly, the danger of a serious flood postoday became greater every hour. Rains from Wyoming to the Gulf of Mexico are reported.

Kansas City, Kansas, in the Blue river valley district on the eastern edge of the city and in the Rockhill district, an exclusive south side residence section, where Brush creek, a drainage stream, has flooded the lower

Reports from northwest Missour! village of Santa Rosa, near Pattonsburg, is entirely under water and has

Vienna May 28, (via Berlin and Lon-have caused heavy property damage John Miller, Prominent Resident, As- no need of anxiety as to the safety of the Coss home near Adair, Okla, James could be found regarding the deed. Brown probably was fatally injured in Miller was well supplied with money. a tornado six miles east of Adair.

Great property damage is reported NINETEEN MEN ARE as a result of tornadoes at Checotah. Cleora and Stigler, Okia.

At the last named town, the property inmage, exclusive of that to crops in that district is estimated at \$100,000 The town is without light at night. Fifty residences were damaged by the tornado at Checotah Thursday night. The damage there is placed at \$30,000.

The vast storm center which cen-Rame, May 28, evia The Frontier tered Wednesday in southern Kansas

Grasshopper rivers, today was still in Cafes, theatres and moving pleture danger, but it is believed the inhabi-

Des Moines is Threatened. ened early today as the result of un- ry and is already in camp. He is 26 much property was destroyed.

Arkansas Valley Swept. worst flood in recent years is sweep- ing by Turkish mines or submarine of IN TESTS; INQUIRY ing the Arkansas valley. Many lives the Russian battleship Panteleimon. United States cruiser North Carolina are imperiled, lowland farms are in- The cablegram declares the Pantelei- is aground within the outer harbor of Washington, D. C., May 28. Secre- undated, crops and farm buildings mon has not for some time been out Alexandria. Egypt, according to a re-.. Virgii Recentarin of the term of Manuel de Arriaga, who tary Daniels was going ahead today have been damaged seriously and rall- of a Russian harbor.

Chicago, Iil., May 28 .- Officials and Harvester company of Plano, Ill., in-

Conference Hears Reports.

Washington, D. C., May 28,-Group conferences and a general session ports of conference committees.

APPEAL FOR MEXICO

Washington, D. C., May 28 .- Presiient Wilson, as head of the American Red Cross, today issued an appeal to the American people to contribute noney and supplies of food for the relief of starving Mexicans.

The president's appeal, addressed to the public, said that the American Red Cross is ready to undertake relief work for the benefit of the Mexican people, and he urged Americans to contribute "money and supplies of food to mitigate the suffering and misery so close at hand," contributions in money to be sent to the American Red Cross, Washington, or to its local treasurers.

President Wilson is understood to have become deeply concerned over re-ports from different part of Mexico PLOT TO BLOW HER UP elling of the suffering of the people, and he is understood to be unwilling to mays the civilian population starved

MEXICANS TO DIE AT TUCSON, ARIZ

United States District Court Refuses lantle line is ashore near St. Nazaire. to Issue Wrlt to Save Condemned Men.

Trouble in Kansas City centers in Sawtelle of the United States district and South American ports and France. Argentine and Armourdale sections of court denied today the application for She was last reported as having sailed write of habens corpus for the five from Colon on May 7. the executions would take place at

KEITHSBURG MAN IS HOTEL SUICIDE

phyxlates Self, But Leaves No Explanation.

local hotel last night by asphyx-

Nanaimo, B. C., May 28.-Volun- were saved. miners who were entombed in the west ing smack and brought into Newlyn, a level last night, after an explosion fishing village near here. of inflammable gas had buried them deeply under tons of coal and debria. steamer Argylishire which left Syd-The bodies of three miners already boy, N. S. W., April 16, sent out wirehave been recovered and a fourth man less distress calls after having been was so badly wounded that he is not attacked by a German submarine, acexpected to live. Thirteen others who cording to information received in had descended into the mine a few shipping circles here. The Argyli-

PRINCE HUMBERT IS TO BE A LIEUTENANT

ed to the surface unburt.

Turin, May 27, (via Paris, May 28.)that his widow. Mrs. Abby P. Ald- brilliant lights inside houses is forbid- high water was reported to be reced- prince Humbert, count of Salemi, son of the Princess Letitia Bonaparte and the late Duke of Acosta, who reigned Dea Moines, Iowa, May 28.—Serious for several years in Spain as King the harm two large holes were made, eighth annual commescement of the lapsed when her husband was stricken At night groups of young men go flood conditions along the Des Moines Annual commescement of the lapsed when her husband was stricken At night groups of young men go flood conditions along the Des Moines Annual commescement of the lapsed when her husband was stricken At night groups of young men go flood conditions along the Des Moines and men were rescued. the will she and three children, Ed. A special watch for aeroplanes is usually heavy rains yesterday and last years old. Prince Humbert is a half warf B. Aldrich of New York City, being kept at Bologna because of the Disc of the Duke of the Abruzzi.

> Beny Pantelelmon Sunk. Washington, D. C., May 28 .- The Russian embassy has received a cable

gram from the chief of the naval staff Little Rock, Ark., May 28.—The at Petrograd denying the reported sink-

THE WEATHER

Rock Island, Davenport, Moline and Vicinity.

probably rain, continued cool weather. waters. The latter, as soon as floated. yesterday 56, lowest last night 49. as a naval aviation ship off Pensacola, Velocity of wind at 7 a. m. 17 miles Florida.

Precipitation .36 inch. Relative humidity at 7 p. m. 57, at a. m. 100, at 1 p. m. today 98.

J. M. SHERIER, Local Forecaster. Constantine.

FRENCH BOAT ASHORE; 900 **ABOARD SAFE**

Liner Arrives Near St. Nazaire in Badly Damaged Condition.

German With Five Dynamite Bombs Said to Have Been Found on Vessel.

Nantes, France, May 28 .- The steamer Champagne of the French trans-at-She is badly damaged. The 900 per-

sons on board have been taken off. La Champagne was engaged in Tucson, Ariz., May 28 .- Judge W. H. trans-atlantic trade between Central

Mexicans condemned to hang at Flor- A plot to blow up La Champagne ence prison. Attorneys for the con- was reported last February in a disdemned prisoners were informed that patch from Madrid to a Paris newspaper. According to this dispatch, Phoenix, Ariz., May 28.—By a vote officers of the vessel stated, on her arof 15 to 12 the house of representa- rival at Coranna, Spain, from Mexico, tives of the Arizona legislature de- that the pllot had been frustrated by a clined today Governor Hunt's request to memoralize the board of pardons and paroles to reprieve the five Mexicans condemned to be hanged at conveyed the information that a man tended to destroy the vessel. The man was arrested and, the dispatch said, five dynamite bombs were found in his

No Need of Anxiety.

Paris, May 28.—The officials of the French line here say that all the passengers on La Champagne have been landed at St. Nazaire and that there is the vessel. They state she was not

torpedoed. The name of the steamer which took off La Champagne's passengers is un-Burlington, lows, May 28 .- John knows at the company's offices in Miller, a prominent resident near | Paris. Representatives of the com-

Germans Sink Britisher.

Pensance, Eng., May 28 .- The British steamer Cadeby has been sunk off the Scilly isles by gunfire from a Ger-ENTOMBED IN A MINE man submarine. All those on board the vessel, including four passengers,

teer rescuers were preparing today to The Cadeby was sunk yesterday. enter the lower workings of the Re- Her crew of 18 men, together with the serve mine of the Western Fuel com- four passengers on board, took to the pany in search of the bodies of 19 boats and were later rescued by a finh-

Liverpool, May 28 .- The British moments before the explosion escap- shire reached port safely later in the day. The harbor into which she put

has not been announced. Majestic Sunk by Torpedo.

London, May 28 .- The admirality office last night announced the destruction of the British battleship Majestic by a torpedo while the battleship was supporting the allied army on Gallipoli peninsula. The torpedo was fired by a German submarine.

The official report says "nearly all

AGROUND ABROAD

United States Cruiser Has Accident in the Outer Harbor of Alexandria, Egypt.

Washington, D. C., May 28 .- The port to the navy department today by her commander, Captain Joseph W Oman, who says the ship is undamaged and that dredging will be undertaken to release her.

Efforts made yesterday to release ported, failed. The cruiser Des Moines has arrived off Alexandria as relief to Rain tonight, Saturday cloudy and the North Carolina in Mediterranean Temperature at 7 a. m. 49. Highest will return to the United States to act

King Continues Better. Washington, D. C., May 28.-A cable from Athens to the Greek legation Stage of water 7.1, a rise of 2 in last here reports continued general improvement in the condition of King